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HEADQUARTERS, U.S. ARMY ARMOR CENTER AND FORT KNOX
FORT KNOX, KENTUCKY 40121-5000

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

ATZK-JAA (210)

20 September 2001

MEMORANDUM FOR

Commanders, All Units Reporting Directly to This Headquarters
Commanders, Fort Knox Partners in Excellence
Directors and Chiefs, Staff Offices/Departments, This Headquarters

SUBJECT: Thunderbolt Six Policy Memo No. 38-3 - Bar Letters

1. Reference 18 U.S.C. Section 1382.
2. Recognizing that the authority to issue bar letters under the above cited statute is personal to the installation commander and nondelegable, the following is directed. During duty hours the Garrison Commander will sign and deliver such letters to offenders. Letters will be issued by my command for the periods indicated in Appendix A to this memorandum (enclosed). During nonduty hours, bar letters will be signed and delivered to offenders by the Military Police duty officer after coordination with the on-call JAG officer. A copy of any bar letter, along with the supporting military police blotter or report will be delivered to SGS for my review by 0800 the first working day following the incident.
3. The Garrison Commander will review and make recommendations regarding appeals submitted by those barred from the installation.

Encl

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APPENDIX A

In those cases in which a DD Form 1805 is issued, Bar Letters will be issued for the period specified below:

1. Unaffiliated Personnel.

a. Permanent Bar

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Assault Offenses (felonies)
Bribery
Burglary/Housebreaking
Counterfeiting/Forgery
Drug/Narcotic Offenses (other than simple possession of marijuana)
Embezzlement
Extortion/Blackmail
Fraud Offenses
Homicide
Kidnapping/Abduction
Motor Vehicle Theft
Prostitution Offenses
Resisting Arrest
Robbery
Sex Offenses (i.e., rape or sodomy)
Weapons Law Violations

b. Period Specified Bar

Assault (simple)	2 years
Bad Checks	2 years
Disorderly Conduct	2 years for first offense, 10 years subsequent offense
Driving Under the Influence	1 year for first offense, 10 years subsequent offense
Drunkenness	1 year
Indecent Exposure	10 years
Larceny/Theft Offenses	2 years, if value over \$100 1 year, if value \$100 or less
Liquor Law Violations	2 years
Peeping Tom	2 years
Possession of Marijuana	2 years
Property Destruction/Damage	2 years
Receiving Stolen Property	5 years
Runaway (habitual)	2 years
Terroristic Threats	5 years
Trespassing	2 years
Vandalism (mischief)	2 years

2. Civilian Employees. Barred for the period specified above with the provision that they may go directly to and from their on-post place of employment only.

3. Retirees and Dependents Residing Off-Post. Barred as specified above for offenses listed in para 1a. For offenses listed in para 1b, a warning letter will be issued by the Garrison Commander for the first offense. Bar letters will be issued only for a subsequent offense. In such cases, the period of the bar will be determined on the basis of it being a second offense, i.e., a second DUI will receive a bar letter for 10 years. In all cases in which a bar is issued, offenders may go directly to and from emergency medical treatment, scheduled medical appointments, and the commissary.

4. On-Post Resident Family Member Perpetrator of Spouse or Child Abuse. In those cases where a soldier is the victim of spouse abuse perpetrated by a nonsoldier spouse and a DD Form 1805 is issued, the perpetrator will be barred from the installation for a period of 72 hours. Nonsoldier perpetrators of child abuse receiving a DD Form 1805 will also be barred for 72 hours. Individuals previously receiving a bar letter for child or spouse abuse will be barred for 14 days for a second offense.

5. Former Prisoners (RCF). Prisoners released from confinement and discharged from the military with a less than honorable discharge will be permanently barred from the installation.

6. Individuals who fit into more than one category will receive bar letters according to the least restrictive bar.